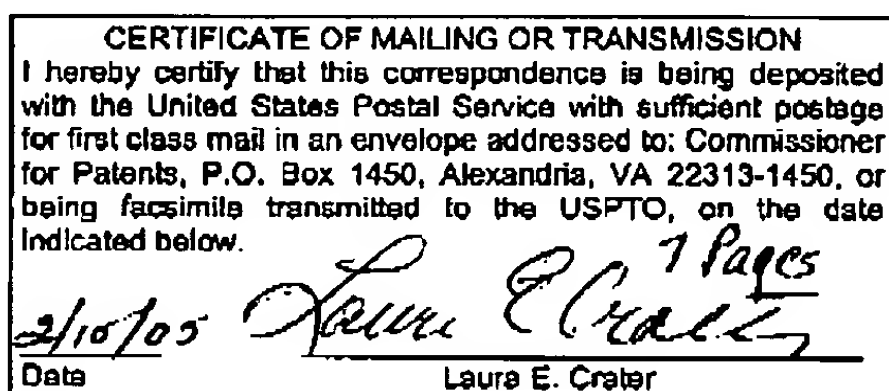


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Dear Sir:

Further to the Applicants' attorney's telephone interview with the Examiner on December 13, 2004, and per the Examiner's instructions on February 7, 2005, set forth below is the Applicants' substitute response to the non-final Office Action mailed on December 20, 2002. As discussed with the Examiner, and further to Applicants' attorney's earlier telephone interview with the Examiner and Notes to the Examiner, the Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the holding of abandonment of this application.

This paper includes (each beginning on a separate sheet):

1. Amendments to the claims; and
2. Remarks/Discussion of issues.